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Application Number	09/175,589
Filing Date	20 October 1998
First Named Inventor	Jacobson
Examiner Name	E. Colbert
Art Unit	3693
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	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**Fee Description**

Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)

Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)

Multiple dependent claims

Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
50	25
200	100
360	180
Multiple Dependent Claims	
Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER
(General - Patent Pending)Docket No.
065426-0004

In Re Application Of: ANDREA JACOBSON D/B/A ANDIE MACARTHUR

Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.
09/175,589	20 October 1998	E. Colbert	38,939	3693	7081

Title: ELECTRONIC RECORD MANAGEMENT SYSTEM

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

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Petition For Further Extension Of Suspension Of Office Action Pursuant To 37 CFR Sec. 1.103(A)

in the above identified application.


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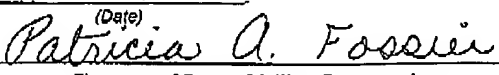
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Jacobson

Application No.: 09/175,589

Filing Date: 20 October 1998

Title: ELECTRONIC RECORD MANAGEMENT
SYSTEM

Attorney Ref. No.: 065426.0004

Examiner: E. Colbert

Art Unit: 3693

**PETITION FOR FURTHER EXTENSION OF SUSPENSION
OF OFFICE ACTION PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.103(A)**

Commissioner of Patents
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Dear Sir:

Applicant has received the Office Communication dated 17 July 2006, and thanks the Examiner for her efforts for providing the 17 July 2006 Office Communication to Applicant's representative.

The 17 July 2006 Office Communication set a response deadline of 17 October 2006. It is believed, therefore, that no Extension of Time Fee is due for the filing of this Response.

In response, Applicant respectfully requests the prosecution of the above-referenced U.S. Non-Provisional Patent Application be further suspended for a period of Three (3) Months. Applicant makes this request as part of a Petition under 37 CFR § 103(a).

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In re: Patent of: Jacobson
U.S. Patent Application No.: 09/175,589
Attorney Docket Number: 065426.0004

Examiner: E. Colbert

In support of its petition, Applicant submits the following:

1. Applicant's representative regarding the instant Application has changed during the prosecution of this Application.
2. Upon assuming representation of the Application, Applicant's current representative discovered that the Request for Continued Examination (dated 22 November 2005) included a request to suspend prosecution pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c). However, an Office Communication was sent on 13 February 2006, after Applicant's current representative assumed representation of the Application, apparently in contradiction to the suspension request.
3. Applicant's current representative contacted Examiner Ella Colbert immediately upon assumption of representation, and requested that the 13 February 2006 Office Communication be vacated in light of the suspension request.
4. Examiner Colbert vacated the 13 February 2006 Office Communication in an Office Communication dated 17 July 2006.
5. Upon transferring the Application to Applicant's current representative, Applicant's former representative submitted a Request for Withdrawal, that the Office denied.
6. Applicant's current representative submitted a Revocation and New Power of Attorney and New Correspondence Address, that the Office accepted. Thus, Applicant's current representative is now the representative of record.
7. Although the 17 July 2006 Office Communication – vacating the 13 February 2006 Office Communication – was mailed on 17 July 2006, neither Applicant's former or current representative, nor Applicant herself, has any record of receiving the 17 July 2006 Office Communication.
8. The existence of the 17 July 2006 Office Communication was discovered during a routine status check by Applicant's current representative. During this status check, Applicant's current representative contacted Examiner Colbert, who informed Applicant's representative of the existence of the 17 July 2006 Office Communication. Examiner Colbert graciously forwarded a copy of the 17 July 2006 Office Communication to Applicant's current representative on 12 October 2006.

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In re: Patent of: Jacobson
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Attorney Docket Number: 085426.0004

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9. Applicant requests an extension of the suspension of prosecution of the Application to permit Applicant and her current representative to accurately determine the status of the Application and develop a strategy going forward, including ascertaining the current status of the Claims and to make any appropriate amendment.

Should the Examiner require further information regarding this request, please contact the Applicant's undersigned representative.

Further, it is believed that the only fee for filing this request is the Petition Fee of \$200.00, pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.17(g). The Commissioner is authorized to charge this fee to Deposit Account No. 042223. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 042223.

Respectfully submitted,



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Date: 17 October 2006

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